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Mustang Daily—Jan Munro

Architecture major Brian Bloom finds sandcastle-building a creative experience.

Castles are all washed up

"What are those two holes in there?" the judge asks, pointing at a heaping mound of drippy sand. "That's the king's swimming pool..." one young prospective architect answers quickly.

"...And a hot tub," adds another.

So went the judging at the annual sandcastle building contest and picnic of the California Central Coast Chapter of the American Institute of

Architecture, Associated Students Chapter, which was held Saturday, Sept. 26, at Avila Beach.

While the turnout was less phenomenal than the sandcastles, the enthusiasm of the members of the club was unmistakable.

And the learning experiences were many: "Never underestimate the structural integrity of wet sand," one participant declared.

Engineering review

Mistake delays loading of fuel at Diablo Canyon

BY NANCY LEWIS

Staff Writer

While anti-nuclear forces were blockading Diablo Canyon during past weeks, a pro-nuclear group staged a counter-blockade. See page 5.

The loading of fuel at the Diablo Canyon nuclear power plant will be held up until the effects of an engineering mistake can be reviewed, the plant's project information officer said Tuesday.

Greg Pruett, Diablo Canyon project information officer, said a design review Sunday found a discrepancy between a diagram used in the stress analysis of piping hanger systems and the system itself. The hangers support pipes in an auxiliary cooling system at the plant.

Pruett said he couldn't get any more specific until the problem is reviewed.

Pruett speculated a possible explanation of the error was that a document meant for Unit 2 was mistakenly used for Unit 1.

"We're not going to know how serious this problem is until our design engineers conduct a thorough review of the systems involved," he said. "We expect to finish the review by the middle of next week and then we can determine what steps to take to rectify the situation."

Pruett said no fuel will be loaded until the mistake is cleared up.

The facility won an interim fuel-

loading and low-power testing license from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission on Sept. 21. A full-power operating license will require additional public hearings and a separate NRC action.

Abalone Alliance reacts

According to Steve Leeds, Abalone Alliance spokesman, the mistake is being looked upon as positive. "Anything that delays Diablo is good, and this is just the tip of the iceberg," he said. "Because of this mistake, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission is going to have to take more note of health and safety."

Leeds also commented that PG and E has made a "real mistake by not only making this error but also claiming that nuclear power is safe among human and technological error."

Abalone Alliance representatives estimated 400 protestors remained jailed Tuesday, and all should be out by the end of the week.

About 60 people still remain inside the power plant gates, said Alliance spokeswoman, Ede Morris, but they are not affiliated with the Abalone Alliance. "As far as we are concerned, we know nothing of it," she said.

According to Leeds, no blockade attack will resume because of the mistake. "It's out of our hands and now is the best time to let the NRC lick their own wounds."

SLO businesses claim profits as students return

BY DEBRA KAYE

Staff Writer

Cash registers are ringing across town as Cal Poly enters another year. Businesses in San Luis Obispo report varying increases in sales as they feel the return of Cal Poly students.

Some are temporary increases, as students gather the materials to decorate and set up housekeeping. As the manager of Pacific Home Improvement Center on Santa Barbara Street put it, "We only have a hard run the first couple of weeks—then it's pretty much back to normal." The biggest sellers in this combination lumber-hardware-nursery store are shelving, bricks and blocks.

Across the street, Daylight Gardens, a nursery and decorative accessories store has about 25 percent in-

crease in sales generated by Poly students, mostly "small, live plants for decorating dorms," the manager said.

Apparel stores and restaurants also show sales increases when Cal Poly students return. "Sales are up 20 percent in our University Square store this month," said Ross Humphrey, manager of Riley's. "But I'd say 50 to 60 percent of our business there comes from Poly, since what we sell is for young men and women."

For one small vegetarian restaurant, the most noticeable increase this year has been from the blockade. "Poly usually has some affect, but this year it's hard to tell since the blockaders started coming in at the same time," said the assistant manager of Beckola on Monterey Street.

Those that benefit the most from Poly's return are the grocery stores. They get both the temporary surges, in housewares, plants, and health and beauty aids, as students set up housekeeping, and a steady overall increase from an increased population that has to eat. However, students eat differently than the regular customer, according to Jack Daoust, manager of the Foothill branch of Lucky's. "Of course, sales are up in every department, about 30 percent at this store, but there is more movement in fresh vegetables and fruit and in the health food department after Poly students return."

So the next time you spend a dollar, remember, you are big business in San Luis Obispo.

Pack thefts worry police

BY SANDRA GARY

Staff Writer

Backpack theft is the major campus crime problem so far this quarter, according to a Cal Poly public safety investigator.

Twenty-four new coin operated lockers have been installed by the Cal Poly Foundation on the north and south sides of the snack bar to help alleviate the problem, said Wayne Carmack.

"The problem could be halted completely if people would be careful with their packs," Carmack said.

To operate the new lockers, a quarter is deposited, and then returned after use. Even though there are only 24 lockers Carmack noted that, "Every time I've been over there, there have been available lockers."

Yet, the new lockers cannot meet the student demand for backpack security during peak hours of service in the snack bar, said Carmack.

To remedy the situation, the safety investigator sent a memo to Al Amaral, director of the Cal Poly Foundation, recommending the installation of more lockers or a check stand where students could check in their backpacks and valuables while they go into the food

service area (where packs are not allowed).

Statistics on backpack theft are not compiled by the Cal Poly public safety office. However, statistics for thefts under \$200 were up from 173 to 242 last year, according to the Department of Public Safety's, 1981 Annual Report. The report covered the period July 1, 1980, to June 30, 1981.

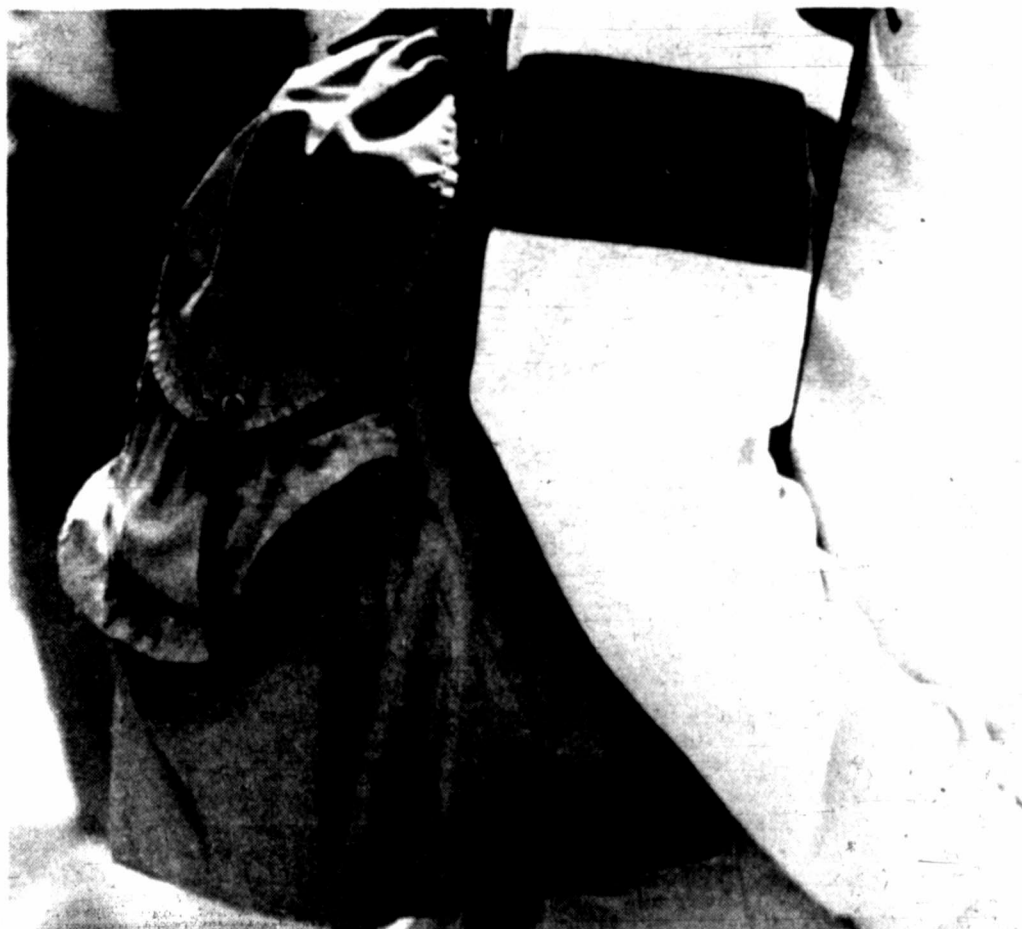
"We had four backpack thefts reported in one day," Carmack stated, speaking of recent thefts in the snack bar.

Yet the entire student population has not gone amoral. "There are honest people who do return packs," Carmack said. "I heard about one pack containing \$400 which was returned to the book store and to the owner."

Advice from Carmack to students who carry backpacks is to keep them with you since the recovery rate is very low.

"We have made only two arrests for theft of backpacks in the past two years," Carmack said.

The reason for the low recovery rate, according to Carmack, is the thieves keep any cash or resellable books but dump identifying items far from the scene of the crime.



Mustang Daily—Sandy Minor

Public safety investigator Wayne Carmack cited backpack theft as Cal Poly's major crime problem.

Ants march toward nuke plant

COLUMBIA, S.C.(AP)—An anti-nuclear group announced Tuesday it will demonstrate against nuclear weapons manufacturing at the Savannah River Plant for two days next month.

Elton Manzione of the Grass Roots Organizing Workshop said the protests are meant to draw attention to what he called the U.S. strategy of "mutually assured destruction—they wipe us out and we wipe them out."

A "Picnic at the Bomb Plant" will be held Sunday, Oct. 11, outside the Savannah River Plant near Aiken, he said. The next day, a rally is scheduled at the University of South Carolina in Columbia.

The Savannah River Plant, owned by the Department of Energy and operated by the Du Pont Co., manufactures raw material for nuclear weapons.

Reagan ends refugee welcome

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Reagan ordered the Coast Guard Tuesday to halt the flow of illegal aliens from Haiti and other Caribbean countries into the United States. "The entry of undocumented aliens from the high seas is hereby suspended and shall be prevented by the interdiction of certain vessels carrying such aliens," Reagan said in a proclamation.

Reagan said the entry of illegal aliens is "a serious national problem detrimental to the interests of the United States."

"A particularly difficult aspect of the problem," he added, "is the continuing illegal migration by sea of large numbers of undocumented aliens into the southeastern United States."

In the past three years, nearly 50,000 Haitian refugees have arrived in south Florida. The state has filed suit against the federal government to reduce the population of a crowded Haitian refugee camp in south Florida at the edge of the Everglades and to prohibit them from opening others.

In his proclamation, Reagan said the flow of aliens has severely strained the law enforcement section of the Immigration and Naturalization Service and has "threatened the welfare and safety of communities" in the Southeast.

In an executive order accompanying his proclamation, Reagan ordered the Coast Guard to enforce his order blocking illegal aliens from reaching U.S. shores. He told the Coast Guard to stop and board ships outside U.S. territorial waters if there is reason to believe they are transporting aliens, and to check documents to determine the status of people on board.

Newsline

U.S., Soviets agree to disagree

UNITED NATIONS(AP)—Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. said Tuesday his talks with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko failed to resolve "areas of intense disagreement" between the two superpowers. But he said the fact they talked at all was a good sign.

"I suppose there is progress in any such communication," Haig said of the meetings Monday and last Wednesday. "We had a whole host of areas of intense disagreement between the two powers and we had an opportunity to explore the basis of all those issues."

However, asked on NBC-TV's "Today" show whether the talks had reduced tensions between Washington and Moscow, Haig said, "No, I don't think so. I think the period ahead will have made a substantial contribution."

Haig said he and Gromyko agreed between them to say little about the meetings. They also agreed to continue the discussions early next year, probably in Geneva. But Haig said he did come away with the feeling that the Soviets are as anguished as the United States over the situation in Poland.

"The anguish is probably comparable on their side," he said. "There are a number of disadvantages if they contemplate any more drastic action."

Haig had said prior to the meeting he would warn Gromyko against Soviet military intervention in Poland. He said Tuesday, "We have made it very clear, together with our allies, the consequences of Soviet intervention would be profound and long-lasting."

Girl's Laetrile treatment allowed

LOS ANGELES (AP)—An agreement on the next three years of leukemia treatments for 2-year-old Amanda Accardi was approved in Los Angeles Juvenile Court on Tuesday, 11 weeks after her father forcibly removed her from Children's Hospital and took her to Mexico for treatments that included Laetrile.

The new medical program includes cranial radiation, bone marrow injections of chemotherapy drugs, testing of the child's blood every week, and testing of samples of her spinal fluid and bone marrow every three months, said Martin Weekes, a deputy counsel who represented the Los Angeles County Department of Protective Social Services.

Navy drops brutality allegations

SAN DIEGO (AP)—The Navy has dropped charges against three petty officers scheduled for courts-martial for alleged assault, violating orders and maltreating men aboard the carrier USS Ranger.

Rear Adm. Paul T. Gillcrust, commanding officer of Naval Base San Diego, took the action Monday after a prosecutor said there was too little evidence against the men.

The three are Petty Officers David L. Mitchell, Rudolph Q. Mitchell and Evert Foster. They were on the staff of the correctional custody unit involved in an investigation begun after the death of an inmate, Paul Terence of Algonac, Mich.

A special court-martial began Monday for Marine Lance Cpl. Santiago Garcia, 20, of Holt, Mich., accused of slapping a sailor in custody and forcing another to smoke cigarettes with a trash can on his head.

Senate look at trillion dollar debt

WASHINGTON (AP)—Despite a long night of protest by Democrat William Proxmire, the Senate was poised Tuesday to send President Reagan a bill allowing the national debt to eclipse \$1 trillion for the first time.

The new ceiling of \$1.079 trillion, already approved by the House, would amount to \$4,694.20 for every American man, woman and child. At \$1 per second, it would take 31,688 years just to count a trillion—or \$1,000,000,000,000.

Proxmire, of Wisconsin, flailed at the measure for 16 hours and 12 minutes, then gave up his talkfest at 10:27 a.m. EDT.

Asked if the Democrat's performance endangered the bill's chance for passage, Senate Republican Leader Howard H. Baker Jr. said, "I don't think it altered it at all."

The bill must reach Reagan's desk by Wednesday night in order for the government to have continued borrowing authority when the new fiscal year begins at 12:01 a.m., EDT, Thursday.

Proxmire said he was hopeful he would "wake up senators and others in the Congress." Despite abandoning his marathon speechmaking, Proxmire said he would offer an amendment that would set the debt figure. The \$1.079 trillion figure is sought by Reagan and has passed the House.

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Hi Mountain's lone resident shares solitude

BY RALPH THOMAS
Outdoors Editor

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An excerpt from *Walden* by
Henry David Thoreau

It's seven miles to the nearest town and about 20 yards to the modest outhouse in back.

The Hi Mountain Lookout station, with its self-proclaimed "loner" occupant Audrey Sims, stands more than 3,000 feet above the ocean's level, which is visible on the distant horizon.

From atop Hi Mountain there is a clear view of Lopez lake, Arroyo Grande and, on the clearest of days, Mount Whitney.

Sims, an employee of the United

States Forest Service, spends five days and nights each week on Hi Mountain. She spends most of her daylight hours in the lookout's 14 foot by 14 foot room, which she calls "home." All four walls are birds-eye views of the surrounding mountains and meadows.

Within the elevated room is a very condensed version of a home. She sleeps, cooks, eats and works in the same room. Her luxuries are limited—no shower and she must be very conservative with her limited supply of water, which is all pumped by hand.

The only companionship Sims has are her three pets—two dogs and a cat—and the constant hum of the wind. "You get so used to hearing the wind, if it stops you get real nervous." As she speaks her head turns habitually, her eyes scanning the countryside.

Sims says she is used to and enjoys being alone. Visitors to the lookout are rare, except the frequent visits by wildlife.

Evenings at the lookout bring many deer out of the brush and occasionally a bear or two. All wildlife sightings are logged by Sims and used for research and survey purposes.

Sims has a small ranch near Pozo—seven bumpy miles from the lookout. There she spends her two days a week away from the remoteness with her 15-year-old granddaughter and her horses.

During the winter, when there is little threat of fire, Sims stays at her ranch.

"I spend all winter making up for being up here all summer," Sims says.

Her away-from-the-lookout hobby is square dancing. She is an active member of three square dancing clubs. At the lookout she spends her hours alone reading, knitting and enjoying her pets—"Smokey", an intimidating German Shepherd; "Trouble," a spunky lap dog; and "Bojangles," Trouble's feline friend.

Sims has been with the Forest Service for 16 years. In that time she says she has spotted many fires. She says this year has been an unusually calm fire season, despite a higher than normal potential for fires.

When Sims spots a fire she first locates it on her "firefinder." By doing this she is able to pinpoint where the fire is and inform the Forest Service's central dispatch in Goleta. After reporting a sighting, her duty in the process is finished.

Sims says the Forest Service has closed down many lookouts similar to Hi Mountain's. But with the nearby protection area for the Peregrine Falcons she says the chances are good the Hi Mountain Lookout will remain in service.

Sims says it's likely she will spend several more years on Hi Mountain. She would like to get involved with the Forest Service's archeological division eventually. She boasts of her impressive accumulation of Indian artifacts.

The Pictures. Above, Audrey Sims scans for fires from atop Hi Mountain, left, Sims describes the operation of her "firefinder," and below, Trouble and Bojangles show why they're her best companions.

Photos by Vince Buccil



NRM head strives to boost image

Cal Poly's Natural Resources Management department will be trying to boost its visibility nationwide, according to that department's new head, Robert Wambach.

Wambach, a well known veteran in the natural resources field, said in a recent interview he has a lot of plans for the NRM department.

"The Natural resources department here is small, but in my mind has great potential," said Wambach.

Wambach came to Cal Poly after serving four years as the director of the Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks department. Prior to that he was the Dean of Forestry for 10 years at the University of Montana.

As director of the Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks department Wambach was a key member of the governor's cabinet there. He has also served as the president of the Western Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies, which includes agencies from 14 states and two Canadian provinces.

The new department head said it would be among his goals at Cal Poly to make the NRM department better known in the field. One way he said he will go about this is by expanding curriculum in areas of resource management which other California universities have neglected.

A few such areas of study include urban forestry and biomass energy conversion.

Wambach said he has a great deal of interest in research—a topic of considerable controversy over the

past few years here. Wambach spent 16 years as a researcher for the United States Forest Service and said he will encourage it here.

Wambach said he must first build an off campus constituency in his quest to give Cal Poly NRM a "national image." He stressed the primary way of doing this would be through the NRM students.

"This university (NRM department) can serve a great series of needs in Southern California," said Wambach.

Cal Poly is one of three state funded colleges and universities with an NRM program—the others being Humboldt and Berkeley.

Wambach is wasting no time in hiking his department's visibility, as he spent the last several days in Florida at the national meeting of the Society of American Foresters. Among his plans for this trip was to push for the accreditation of his department's forestry concentration.

NHA sets wildlife film festival

The Natural History Association of San Luis Obispo Coast has once again scheduled its yearly Blue Heron Film Festival.

This year's festival will be held on Saturday, October 17, and Sunday, October 18, at the Museum of Natural History in Morro Bay State Park.

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Prof answers query: Why would one study Pectis?

BY MIGUEL ORTIZ

Staff Writer

Why would anybody want to study a Pectis?

Not too many people know about the plant. There is only one species in California alone even though it is a member of the sunflower family species which has over 20,000 genus and is the largest flower plant in the world. In California one-sixth of all the plants native to the state are members of the sunflower family. So who would ever want to study the Pectis?

Apparently one Cal Poly

professor has taken this objective seriously enough to request a grant to help him research this plant more extensively.

After applying for the grant twice and rejected both times this professor finally received funding after his third application was approved.

David Keil, a biological science professor, received a \$60,000 grant from the National Science Foundation to research and later publish the first modern taxonomic revisions on the Pectis plant and its genus for over 65 years.

Keil who says he has the "natural curiosity as a scientist" conducted field studies on the Pectis in Latin America and the Caribbean Islands where a great many of the over 100 species of Pectis grow in abundance, he said.

Accompanying Keil on his excursion to Mexico was Melissa A. Luckow, a Cal Poly biology graduate student. As Keil's field assistant Luckow also did research on her own which involved analyzing the aromatic oils present in certain species of the Pectis. Keil said he relied on a local botanist friend from the Dominican Republic as a field assistant while researching the Pectis in the Caribbean.

The expeditions involved bringing back dried samples, specimens pickled

in preservative liquids, and seed samples which will be grown in a green house for further studies, explained Keil.

Keil will publish his results in a professional botanical journal which is a source of communication between botanists and it keeps scientists informed on the current research findings in the field, he said.

Keil said the Pectis is "interesting to me," yet he has better reasons for studying the plant. Keil said no studies on the plant have been published since 1916 and no revisions on the entire genus have ever been published. Keil hopes his findings will make identification of the Pectis easier for botanists and possibly eliminate the chances of misidentification of the plant.

Keil said his research which will "add to the general knowledge of mankind" will help scientists understand what the Pectis has to offer. So far, said Keil, the oils of the Pectis have been used in Latin American countries for centuries as medicinal remedies for headaches, nausea, and fevers. One species is said to have the properties of an effective

insecticide, Keil said, but these are all theories and have not been tested under controlled conditions.

Keil said, that to better understand what the Pectis has to offer extensive research, such as his, must be done on this plant. "Without knowing more about these plants we may never know," he said, "what the Pectis can do or offer mankind."

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Pres. Baker lectures Thursday

Cal Poly President Warren J. Baker will be the guest speaker as the School of Communicative Arts and Humanities begins its 10th annual lecture series tomorrow.

In "Technology, Risk, and Public Policy," President Baker will discuss technology in terms of its relationship to human values; its role in improving the quality of life; and its use and control by society.

Baker is also expected to outline some recent technological issues, including pros and cons of war and nuclear weapons development. He will draw on his knowledge of the geotechnical engineering field as a researcher in risk and decision analysis.

The lecture will begin at 11 a.m. Thursday in room 220 of the Julian A. McPhee University Union. Admission is free and the public is invited.

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Solidarity reprimands Walesa

GDANSK, Poland (AP)—Solidarity's national congress reprimanded Lech Walesa and the rest of the independent union's ruling presidium Tuesday for compromising with the Polish government on the new worker self-management law.

The delegates approved the presidium's overall performance, but by a vote of 348-189 said the "controversial way of making the decision about workers' self-management...was improper and shouldn't happen again."

"Agreeing that making the decision was a result of the need to assume an attitude before the Sejm Parliament session, we have to state that a violation of the principles of union democracy took place," they said.

The resolution also called on the union's 11-man presidium to "define the functions and competence of the experts," or advisers to the union.

Jacek Kuron, head of the disbanded dissident group KOR, was said to have been instrumental in convincing three top union leaders to work out a compromise on the law which many delegates feel is weak.

Before the vote, one delegate after another rose to denounce the leaders' compromise with the government over the law, escalating the criticism that dominated the congress for the past two days.

Walesa, who still is expected to be re-elected, responded to the criticism by telling the delegates he would personally guarantee the independence of Solidarity, the first union free of Communist Party control in the Soviet bloc.

AMA sells off tobacco stocks

CHICAGO (AP)—The American Medical Association, long a fervent crusader against smoking, has rid itself of \$1.4 million of "embarrassing" tobacco stock, a spokesman said Tuesday.

The sale of R.J. Reynolds Industries and Philip Morris stock was completed recently by the New York investment firm and bank that handle the AMA's stock portfolio, the spokesman said. He said the move stems from publicity the AMA received after it voted against such a move at its June convention.

"The publicity hurt...We've been trying to get people to stop smoking," said the spokesman, who asked not to be identified.

He said editorial writers and cartoonists had a "field day" with the issue. When the AMA tried to persuade newspapers and magazines to drop cigarette advertising, the efforts were ignored by many of the same publications that criticized the investment, he said.

The managers of the AMA's stock portfolio bought 25,000 shares of Reynolds and 7,000 shares of Philip Morris "a number of years ago," said the spokesman. The recent sale brought a \$500,000 gain, he added.

The stock had been part of a \$113 million pension fund in the AMA member's retirement plan. Of the AMA's 282,000 members, only 3,200 pay into the pension fund.

Walker Merryman, spokesman for the tobacco Institute in Washington, said the industry group "has no comment."

Controllers eligible for benefits

Striking air traffic controllers in at least seven states are now or soon will be eligible for unemployment benefits, an Associated Press spot check showed Tuesday.

But most states are denying unemployment compensation checks to the controllers, either on grounds that their strike is illegal or that they have been fired for misconduct. In some states though, even fired workers are eligible for benefits after a six- to eight-week waiting period.

President Reagan fired about 12,000 air traffic controllers nationwide shortly after they struck on Aug. 3, violating both an oath they had taken and a federal law.

P. Joseph Peraro, Connecticut's labor commissioner, said this week that 75 fired controllers in his state are eligible for unemployment compensation of at least \$140 per week.

Some of the 28 striking controllers in Vermont have been collecting unemployment benefits from the state, and the rest have gotten other jobs, according to Donald Kernan, spokesman for the controllers' union there.

Within several weeks, striking controllers in New Jersey, Oregon, Alaska, Arkansas and Missouri will be eligible for benefits, officials in those states said.

Controller applications for unemployment benefits still are under review in Delaware, Maryland, Indiana, Georgia, Ohio and Hawaii. In Wisconsin, about 30 controllers had been receiving benefits of up to \$175 a week. But the Federal Aviation Administration said Tuesday it had taken steps to halt further payments.

Controllers denied unemployment compensation in California, Florida, New York and several other states have appealed, but so far have not won the right to draw benefits.

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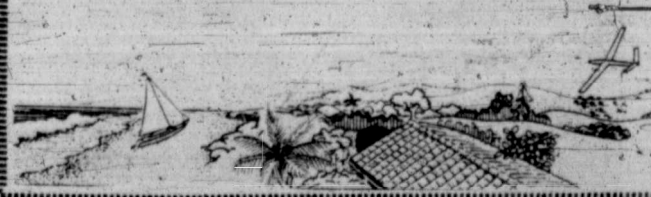
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Local radio has something for all

BY JAN MUNRO
Staff Writer

The discriminating Cal Poly music lover should have little difficulty satisfying his audio appetite, be it for that good ol' country feelin', rock 'n roll you can scream to, sophisticated jazz and classical, or middle-of-the-road hum-along soft rock.

There are at least a dozen radio stations, AM and FM, from which to choose in San Luis Obispo County.

The most logical station for students to listen to is our own KCPR FM 91, which serves as a working lab for the journalism department. "We have tons of stuff," the station's general manager Brad Loney said Monday.

Along with a format of top-50, oldies, and current non-top-hit songs, KCPR has special programs like Stardate, the Rolling Stone Magazine Rock Reveiw, Christian Rock, and jazz.

KVEC AM 920 is the oldest radio station in San Luis Obispo county, established in 1938. Its music is a cross between adult-contemporary and progressive middle-of-the-road, with more news than any other station in the county, according to program director Bill Benica. He said that KVEC is very community oriented as well, broadcasting sports events of both Cal Poly and San Luis Obispo High School.

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KSLY AM 1400, San Luis Obispo's 22-year-old station that is geared for the younger audience.

There are three country stations: KATY AM 1340; KKAL AM 1281; and KPRA FM 92.5. KATY, 35 years old, has a modern country format mixed with golden oldies, while KKAL rotates the top-40 country western hits and KPRA spins adult-contemporary country discs from six in the morning until midnight.

KIQO FM 104 is a relatively new station, three years old, that plays middle-of-the-road selections of "everything but punk and hard rock 'n roll" 24 hours, according to an employee there. KPRL AM 1230 plays more adult-contemporary from 6 a.m. to midnight.

"The hits of today, tomorrow, and yesterday" are featured on KBAI AM 1150, said one woman who works there, with all the top-40 hits as well as oldies that go back as far as 23 years.

Public radio KCBX-FM 90 is an affiliate of National Public Radio, broadcasting many of its radio news-magazine programs, as well as a primary music format of classical and jazz. KPGA FM 95 also plays classical and jazz by night, soft rock by day.

Finally, easy listening fans can tune in to the county's 24-hour background music station, KUNA FM 96.

Dairy farmers facing tough time

DUANESBURG, N.Y. (AP)—Richard Hoffman can look out the picture window of his spotless 4-year-old brick ranch home and see what prosperity has done to the American dairy farmer.

The silos, the tractors and the sophisticated milking equipment on his 235-acre family farm in rural upstate New York all are less than 10 years old.

And his herd of 100 Holsteins—about half of them milkers—is producing a lot more milk than a decade ago.

The improvements have come largely on borrowed money, Hoffman says. Like thousands of U.S. dairy farmers, he's been boosting his output at a time of record milk receipts nationwide.

But there won't be any more major purchases for a while. The money that once cost 6 percent to borrow is now approaching 20 percent.

And President Reagan and Congress are cutting dairy price supports that guarantee dairy farmers a reasonable income, because U.S. warehouses are filled with a mountain of surplus butter, cheese and dry milk and cuts will trim about \$1 billion from the federal budget.

Hoffman says he can already feel the government's first effort to reduce price supports—a skipped parity adjustment in April, which the National Milk Producers Federation estimates will cost the nation's 335,270 dairy farms \$600 million this year.

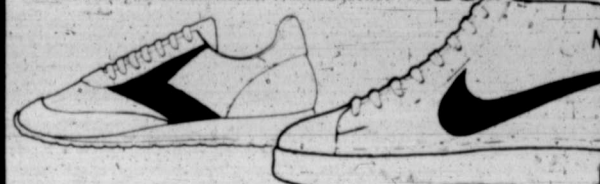
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Judge releases pregnant woman to give birth

SOUT GATE, Calif. (AP)—A judge who sent a pregnant woman to jail for shortchanging a gas station customer by \$10 said Tuesday he was only trying to "shock" her. He set her free because she is almost ready to deliver her baby.

Municipal Judge John R. Hopson asked defendant Mirna Delfilia Gaitan if she was sorry about the petty theft incident four months ago. She speaks no English, so his questions were translated into Spanish by an interpreter.

"Si," she replied. "And you don't believe we're ever going to have a

recurrence?"

"No," she said.

The 28-year-old mother of two, wearing a blue maternity blouse over maroon slacks, gave a loud sigh — "whew!" — after Hopson ordered her released, with the stipulation she be placed on two years' summary probation and reimburse the victim, Melvin K. Stein, the \$10 by the end of the year.

Stein, who was not seen in court Tuesday, contended he had given her two \$10 bills last May at the self-service station in South Los Angeles where she worked. Ms. Gaitan had claimed he only gave

her one \$10 bill. She insisted she was innocent and had refused to enter a plea bargain for a reduced sentence. When Hopson tried the case last Wednesday, the only witnesses present were Ms. Gaitan, Stein and a co-worker of Stein's who corroborated his testimony.

"The evidence was overwhelming as to her guilt," Hopson said Monday. "I felt it was premeditation of stealing whether she was pregnant or not."

"If she's not concerned about taking other people's money, why should I have compassion," he had said Monday.

In releasing her Tuesday, he said "victims in this country are entitled" to consideration. He said it's a common practice to give a heavy sentence to "shock" a defendant, then lighten the sentence later.

"We all use the same practice—we try to shock the defendant into realiz-

ing that he has been wrong," he said.

Hopson, a former Los Angeles police officer, said he is convinced Ms. Gaitan realizes she was wrong. He noted that her attorney, Daniel Lopez of South Gate, had said Ms. Gaitan became "emotionally troubled at the thought her

child might be born in jail." Ms. Gaitan's common-law husband of 10 years, Guillermo Melendez, said the couple's two children, ages 7 and 3, had been wondering where their mother was.

"We will never tell the children," he said Monday.

Drink and drive - Go to jail

SACRAMENTO (AP)—A mother's campaign that began last year when her daughter was killed by a drunken driver was culminated Tuesday when

Gov. Edmund Brown Jr. signed bills aimed at cracking down on drunken driving.

Brown, legislators and law enforcement officials

took turns paying tribute to Candy Lightner of Sacramento as the major force behind a package of bills that are by far the toughest the state has ever passed on the subject.

One bill, AB541 by Assemblywoman Jean Moorhead, D-Sacramento, will require either two days in jail or a 90-day license restriction for a first conviction of drunken driving, and sharply increase sentences for subsequent convictions.

Other measures are intended to discourage plea-bargaining in drunken-driving cases and stop defendants from arguing that their blood test exaggerated their drunken state.

Brown also signed a bill to pay for 670 new California Highway Patrol officers by raising the vehicle registration fee \$1.

The campaign began May 7, 1980, four days after 13-year-old Cari Lightner was struck and killed by a drunken driver who had a previous record of drunken driving.

Following the arrest of the driver—who was sent to prison for manslaughter but released this month—Mrs. Lightner and other parents formed Mothers Against Drunk Drivers to work for tougher laws.

TWO HEAVY HITTERS TOUCH BASES ON BATS, BALLS, AND BEER.

BOOG POWELL (Former American Baseball Great): Koichi here has been giving me a new angle on baseball. It seems the game's a little different in Japan.

KOICHI NUMAZAWA (Former Japanese Baseball Great): そう、例えばフィールドが小さめですわ。

BOOG: That's right. The field is

smaller over there.

KOICHI: つまり、ショートで小さめな日本人の体格に合わせたんですよ。

BOOG: Well, now that you mentioned it, I guess you guys are kinda smaller. Does that mean you drink Lite Beer 'cause it's less filling?

KOICHI: いやー、おいしいから飲むんですよ。

BOOG: Tastes great? That's why I drink it, too! I guess we have a lot more in common than I thought.

KOICHI: その通り! どうです、日本の野球チームに入りませんか。

BOOG: Me? I'm too big to play on a Japanese team.

KOICHI: そんなことないですよ、ショートに最適ですよ。

BOOG: Shortstop?! Very funny.



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MORE NUKES

Pro-nuke student group faces Diablo protesters

BY MICHAEL WINTERS
Staff Writer

While thousands laid their freedom on the line in a blockade of the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, one group of Cal Poly students did what they could to decry the demonstrators and sing the praises of nuclear power.

Steve Marquis, chairman of Students for Adequate Energy, said his group picketed the plant gate "almost daily" to counter the efforts of the blockaders. About 10 members of the group picketed at the peak of their strength, said Marquis.

"We went out to get the support of the workers who would have been out of work if the blockade had been successful," he said.

They also tried to talk to blockaders, but found them "flaky," said Marquis. Auxiliary support workers for the blockaders, on the other hand, were reasonable and engaged in "low key, one-on-one discussions" with the pro-nuke students, he said.

While debating, the Ade-

quate Energy group handed out literature favorable to their cause. Much of it came from research and industry-related interests involved in nuclear power, such as General Electric and Westinghouse.

Other publications included one by Roderick Nash, a UC Santa Barbara professor of history and environmental affairs, and H. Arnold Miller, Pennsylvania's Secretary of Health.

"I have connections with people in the industry," said Marquis, and he specifically named PG and E and General Electric. Marquis is active in the on-campus branch of the Electric Power Research Institute, a professional association supportive of nuclear power.

Yet he denied any direct connection with Citizens for Adequate Energy, a California lobbying group that received \$388,000 in PG and E support in 1980.

Aside from picketing, Marquis has been spreading the nuclear gospel over the airwaves

this summer on talk shows on radio stations KLOV in Lompoc and KGO in San Francisco.

This fall he hopes to expand his group's membership beyond its present 50 to 60 membership. He hopes also to attract students from majors other than engineering.

Adequate Energy students are planning a wind power seminar this fall, said Marquis, emphasizing his group does not view nuclear power as the only energy choice.

Wind, geothermal, solar and others are all power sources which need to be explored, he said; we cannot afford to neglect any of them.

"I just installed an active solar unit in my home," he said. None of the blockaders he talked to had solar energy facilities in their homes, he added.

"People Generating Energy is a great misnomer—I haven't seen them generate one lousy watt."

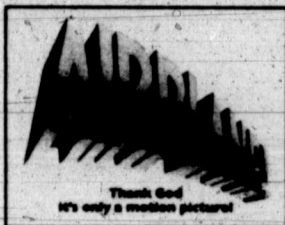


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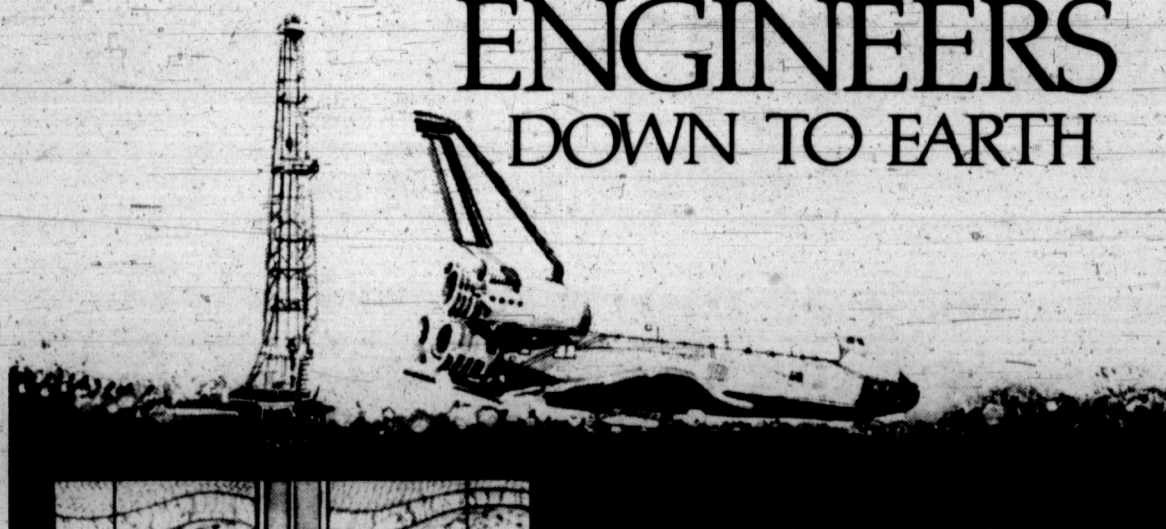
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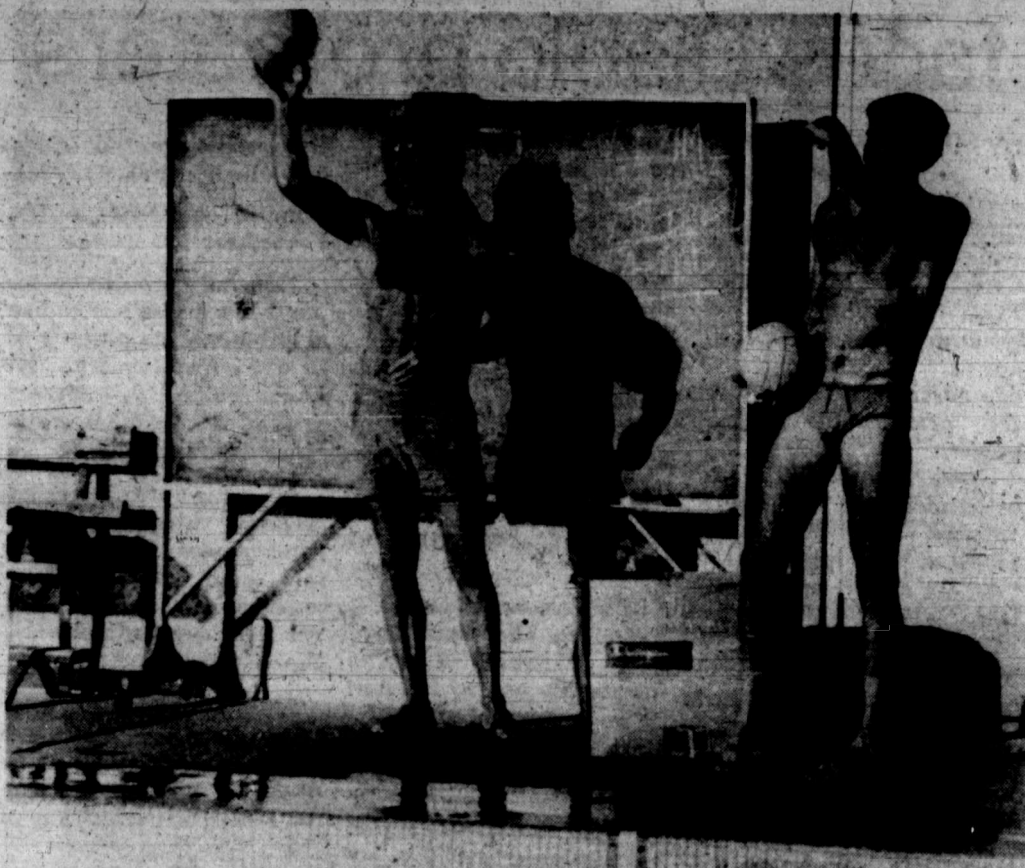
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Mustang Daily—Sandy Minor

Water polo coach Russ Haffercamp diagrams a play at one of the team's practices. The Mustangs will be competing against major Division I schools while operating with an \$800 budget. However, their predicament is not uncommon for minor sports teams at Cal Poly.

Water polo budget cut despite record season

BY TOM CONLON
Sports Editor

The 1980 Mustang water polo team was one of many athletic success stories at Cal Poly last year.

Capturing three national championships, placing third in two other sports and taking home six league titles are a few of the credits accumulated by the 1980-81 Cal Poly sports program. A remarkable year when you consider the size of Poly compared to some of the schools they competed against and the limited financial resources available to many of the teams.

In fact, while good years athletically tend to run in cycles on the small college level, in these times of double-digit inflation one factor is quickly becoming a constant in the world of Mustang sports—success

cannot be measured financially.

First-year head coach, Russ Haffercamp lead his team to the finest season in Mustang water polo history last fall, winning the California Collegiate Athletic Association league title for the first time in 18 years while compiling a 16-8 win-loss record, the best in the school's history.

Haffercamp, a full-time sportswear salesman and volunteer coach, accomplished the feat on a \$1,000 budget—a sum that barely covered traveling expenses. But if a large budget were the sole criteria for establishing a good team the Mustangs would have been blown out of the water by almost everyone they played.

For example, the yearly water polo budget at UC Santa Barbara is \$12,000 and at Stanford it's \$28,000.

Despite last season's success, and in keeping with the budgetary policy toward most "minor sports" at Cal Poly, the polo team's budget was cut to \$800 this year.

"If we really were to make a commitment to water polo we could make a strong run at the NCAA championship," Haffercamp said. The Mustangs finished last season the no. 16 team in the nation.

The main problem with a small budget is Poly cannot offer scholarships to high school standouts. Haffercamp explained, "If an athlete is a blue chip athlete he is more likely to go to a school that offers financial assistance." A national contender could be

built around four or five quality players, he said.

Asked what he thought about the possibility of the administration eliminating financial assistance to his team, Haffercamp replied, "It would be a devastating blow to water polo in general...Aquatics is a lifetime sport," not like baseball or football.

Naturally, the coach believes any investment in water polo is money well spent, and when a team can finish among the top 20 in the nation on a \$1,000 budget few could argue with his claim.

Haffercamp said for the cost of equipping about eight football players the water polo budget could be doubled. "There has to be a commitment by the administration one way or another," he said, the present uncertainty about the future of some minor sports at Poly is leading to instability.

The polo coaches are not sitting back and waiting for the administration to determine their future, however, Assistant coach Paul Cutino has compiled a list of 560 Poly water polo alumni—"If we could get each person to donate \$10 that would mean an additional 5,000 bucks," Haffercamp said.

Only four starters are back from the 1980 squad: goalie Steve Rigler, Bryan Buck and All-CCAA players, Bernie Birnbaum and Bill Cadwalder.

"Our goal this season is to defend the CCAA championship," Haffercamp added, "but realistically we're the third best team in the league. We have our work cut out for us."

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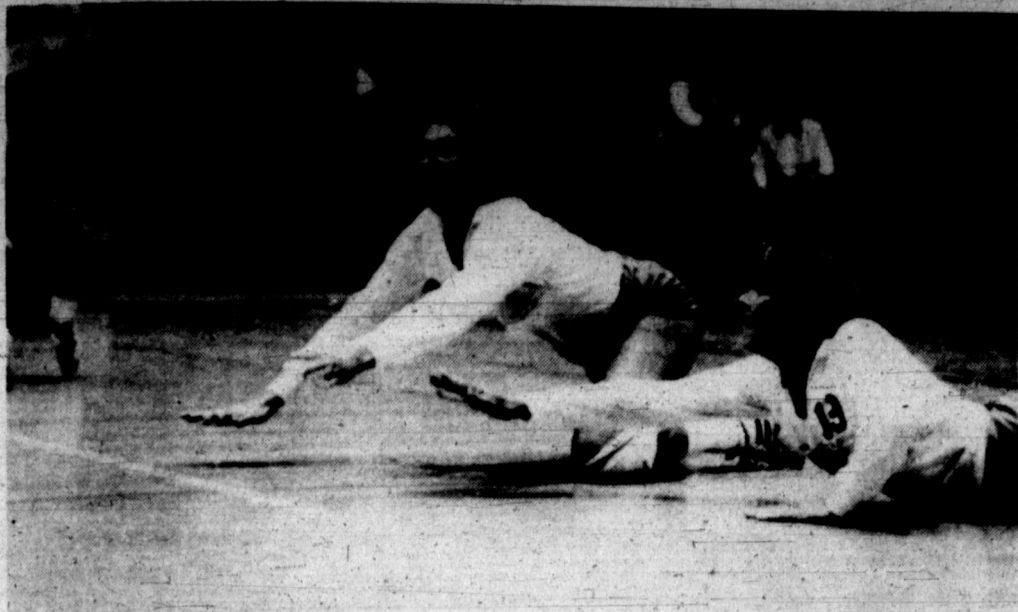


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Mustang Daily—Vince Buccil

Mustang Terri Purling (13) dives to save her team a point in a recent home game. The Mustangs will take on Stanford in Palo Alto on Thursday night.

Kickers face Chapman Friday

BY KIRK NOLTE

Special to Daily

The 1981 Mustang soccer team will try to shake their early-season woes this Friday at 7:30 p.m. as they open league play by hosting the unbeaten Chapman Panthers at Mustang Stadium.

Westmont College provided the booters with their first road test of the season Saturday and dealt the Mustangs their worst loss in Coach Wolfgang Gartner's three years at Cal Poly, 5-1. The lone bright spot in the

game was the return of starting halfback and team captain, Rich ten-Bosch who played well while wearing a protective cast on a dislocated elbow.

Now 1-4, the Mustangs face the unenviable task of trying to regroup this Friday in their league opener with Chapman (6-0-2). Chapman is off to their best start in history (which includes 1978 and '79 post season appearances). Three of the Panther wins have come against Div. I schools, and another was a 3-0 blanking of Westmont.

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Prohibition spirit

Internal Revenue agents drove sledgehammers into barrels of whiskey smuggled illegally into the United States, sending the barrels' contents spouting into the air like a fountain on the Fourth of July. Policemen raided speakeasies and hauled away patrons who were drinking liquor. In these times when drinking is a socially acceptable custom, it is hard to believe that only 62 years ago moralist groups such as the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the Anti-Saloon League had successfully campaigned the states to pass the 18th Amendment banning the manufacture, sale and transportation of alcoholic beverages.

But by 1933 the 18th Amendment had gone the way of the Charleston and the flapper. It was repealed because a sufficient percentage of the society opposed the amendment and made its enforcement impossible.

Prohibition died in 1933, but its spirit lives on. Last Tuesday the spirit returned to haunt the *Mustang Daily*, as the newspaper's Publisher's Board refused to overturn a lifelong ban against accepting hard liquor advertisements and barred tequila manufacturer Jose Cuervo from advertising in the *Daily*.

The act of prohibiting a tequila manufacturer from advertising in a college newspaper may seem trivial, especially when set aside such issues as how to curb the high interest and high crime rates, but this seemingly trivial act dredges up an important constitutional question: Does denying a customer from placing an ad in a publication infringe upon his or her right to free speech?

While a newspaper cannot be forced to run every ad requested, for a paper to closely guard its freedom of the press and then deny an individual or company the right to exercise its rights to advertise in that paper strikes of hypocrisy. The First Amendment was not written just to protect the *New York Times* and the *Mustang Daily*, but to guarantee a communist the right to condemn the "imperialist pigs," the right of an atheist to denounce Christianity and the right of a company to promote its product even if a portion of the population does not consider that product morally acceptable.

In short, the First Amendment does not simply apply to an elite country club of journalists, but to all Americans.

It was argued by one member of the Publisher's Board that allowing a Jose Cuervo ad to run in the *Mustang Daily* might entice underaged students to buy a bottle, thereby unwittingly contributing to a violation of the law. But the *Mustang Daily* staff box contains a disclaimer designed to absolve the newspaper of such troubles which states ad material is for informational purposes and not to be considered an endorsement by the Journalism Department or the university.

Similarly it has been advanced that hard liquor should not be advertised on a supposedly dry campus. Yet former Cal Poly President Robert Kennedy approved beer and wine ads in the mid 70s when the Publishers Board was under the auspices of ASI. The *Daily* has long violated its hard liquor policy by accepting restaurant advertisements which mention cocktails and mixed drinks. What is the difference between running a Jose Cuervo ad and a restaurant one which promotes "gold margaritas buck a glass nightly!"?

Lastly, the Publisher's Board is denying the newspaper a good source of income at a time when the paper is struggling financially.

In 1933 the United States repealed prohibition. The *Mustang Daily* Publisher's Board should send that spirit back to its grave by repealing its own morally antiquated prohibition law.

Nell Anderthal

By Manuel Luz



Letters

Overhaul the justice system

Editor:

With the death of John Lennon, and the attempt on the life of the president, those in favor of gun control are once again trying to win us over, using arguments based on emotion instead of fact. Japan is always held up as a sterling example that gun control works, because Japan has a very low crime rate, and very restrictive gun laws. Do they ever mention that the crime rate of Japanese immigrants in America, where guns are available, is lower? No. That is because you can't get very many votes telling people that it is the society that sets the crime rates, not the laws. One interesting sidelight to Japan's restrictive laws is that Japan has one of the highest suicide rates in the world.

According to the 1979 *FBI Uniform Crime Reports*, no gun control law has ever reduced crime in any area, nor any reduction in crime growth rates compared to other neighboring jurisdictions without such laws.

New York and London have almost identical gun laws. New York has a crime rate five times higher. Why? Because New York doesn't prosecute criminals. Only 1 in 180 persons arrested on felony charges in New York is convicted. London has a 20 percent conviction rate. So it would seem that our judicial system is what needs an overhaul.

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And so we come right down to it: No one believes that the police will save them anymore. With the recent rash of crime in Los Angeles, handgun sales doubled. These people don't feel protected, and I don't either. It doesn't take much strength to be able to use a gun, which makes it the ideal self defense weapon. With almost anything else, you must be strong, coordinated, or foolhardy. How much menace does a can of Mace have? A gun is menacing, which means you may not have to use it. But if you do, it is a lot more sure than a gas.

Would a handgun ban have any chance of working? Marijuana and cocaine are illegal, cocaine possession is even a felony, and we never see any of them around, do we?

But it sure is appealing to think that enacting gun control laws would solve our crime problems. It is so much more comfortable than taking a hard look at ourselves and our society.

Randal Wallingford

We must do before we are defeated

Editor:

In its fifth year of use some unexpected problems came. The plant was shut down for further observation. Now you can't get something for free. That is the law of destiny. So what are you going to do with your pollution?

The taxes began to rise despite the people's cries. And the power companies sat there smiling. They said, "It will not be us who would lose. It will come out of the pockets of the fools". And in this they were not lying.

So let this be a song to help people think And act at a time when it is needed, Take a questioning look around And pull your head up out of the ground, You must do before you are defeated.

And 1,000 people gathered, their voices

ringing out To protest the construction of the nuclear power plant. They said, "We don't need this kind of energy. It's not the answer to our needs. What they say we should do is what we can't".

Through the bitter months of struggle, the people never gave up hope. They tried to warn the others who would listen. But many were entrapped by luxuries. How would they survive without their color t.v.'s? "No", they said, "Some things just weren't worth missing".

Well, the power plant was built in a "very safe spot" it was said. "We predict that nothing will happen". Those protesting made one last plea. They said, "How can you talk about what you can't foresee? All you can really do is keep hoping".

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